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SUBJECT: FY 1977 NARCOTICS CONTROL ACTION PLAN - JAMAICA

REF: KINGSTON A-151

1. THE LATIN AMERICA INTERAGENCY NARCOTICS CONTROL COMMITTEE (LAINCC) REVIEWED THE FY-1977 NARCOTICS CONTROL ACTION PLAN FOR JAMAICA ON SEPTEMBER 8 AND MADE THE FOLLOWING DETERMINATIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY AMBASSADOR VANCE:

A. MARIHUANA ERADICATION. AS A MATTER OF POLICY, IN USING  
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CCINC FUNDS THE HIGHEST PRIORITY SHOULD BE GIVEN TO THE

CONTROL OF HEROIN WE WILL CONTINUE TO ASSIST GOJ IN FULFILLMENT OF EXISTING BILATERAL COMMITMENTS THAT CONCERN MARIHUANA CONTROL. IN VIEW OF POLICY CONSIDERATIONS REGARDING PRIORITIES AND CURRENT BUDGETARY CONSTRAINTS, WE WOULD HAVE TO LOOK CAREFULLY AT PROPOSALS FOR ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE TO THE GOJ IN ERADICATION OF MARIHUANA. NO ADDITIONAL COMMITMENTS SHOULD BE MADE BY THE EMBASSY WITHOUT PRIOR CCINC APPROVAL.

B. ENFORCEMENT EQUIPMENT. FOR THE JAMAICA CONSTABULARY FORCE (JCF) NARCOTICS UNIT AND OTHER JAMAICAN NARCOTICS

ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES COMMODITY ASSISTANCE OF DOLS 25,000 A YEAR IS APPROVED DURING FY 1976 AND FY 1977. DURING THE INTERIM QUARTER AN ADDITIONAL DOLS 5,000 IS APPROVED.

C. ENFORCEMENT TRAINING. ONE PLACE FOR JCF OFFICER IS APPROVED EACH YEAR AT THE DEA SIX-WEEK MID-MANAGEMENT SCHOOL DURING FY 1976 AND FY 1977. ALSO, TWO PLACES FOR CUSTOMS OFFICERS ARE APPROVED FOR BOTH FYS 76 AND 77 AT THE U.S. CUSTOMS SIX-WEEKS MID-MANAGEMENT SCHOOL. FOR FY 1976, ONE IN-COUNTRY DEA COURSE IN NARCOTICS CONTROL AND DETECTION IS APPROVED.

2. THE LAINCC EXPRESSED SOME CONCERN AT THE LARGE TOTAL NUMBERS OF JAMAICAN PERSONNEL PROJECTED FOR TRAINING UNDER THE NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAM. TO ASSIST IN ASSESSING THE NEED FOR FUTURE TRAINING, THE EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO SUBMIT AN INVENTORY OF TRAINED PERSONNEL, BOTH ACTUAL AND PLANNED, BY JAMAICAN AGENCY. THE INVENTORY SHOULD INCLUDE AN ESTIMATE OF THE NUMBER OF PERSONNEL IN EACH AGENCY INVOLVED IN NARCOTICS CONTROL ACTIVITIES. INGERSOLL

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